

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS
EASTERN DIVISION

3 UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, }
4 Government, } No. 08 CR 888
5 vs. } Chicago, Illinois
6 ROD BLAGOJEVICH, } June 14, 2011
7 Defendant. } 2:15 o'clock p.m.

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TRANSCRIPT OF PROCEEDINGS
BEFORE THE HONORABLE JAMES B. ZAGEL
AND A JURY

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question by the jury

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1 (The following proceedings were had out of
2 the presence of the jury in open court:)

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4 QUESTION FROM THE JURY

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6 THE COURT: All right, question: "Page 5,
7 some books end at Line 15, others continue on to
8 Page 9," they want to know which is correct. They
9 specify "... because of this difference we have not
10 continued to read Pages 5 through 9."

:15PM

11 So you will take a quick look now --

12 MR. SCHAR: Sure.

13 THE COURT: -- so I can give them an answer.

:17PM

14 For the record, the tab in my binder ends at
15 Page 5, Line 15. The binder I have is the shorter
16 version.

17 MR. GOLDSTEIN: The one binder we're looking
18 at are Page 5 and skips to 9.

19 THE COURT: I don't have a 9.

:17PM

20 (Brief pause).

21 THE COURT: I cannot read from the expression
22 on your face whether this is resolved or not
23 resolved.

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24 MR. GOLDSTEIN: I think it's the collective
25 understanding of the government and the

question by the jury

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1 defense--well, I don't want to speak for you just
2 yet--but that it goes up to page 5, Line 15.

3 THE COURT: And so what I propose to do,
4 since they haven't read it, is instruct the court
5 security officer to remove anything past Page 5,
6 Line 15, are we okay with this?

7 MR. SCHAR: Yes, Judge.

8 THE COURT: Okay. Thanks.

9 MR. SCHAR: Judge, would you like to have
10 these removed, the extra binders?

11 THE COURT: Yeah, I think that's a good idea.

12 MR. SCHAR: Okay.

13 THE COURT: Thank you.

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15 (Adjournment taken from 2:19 p.m.)

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